

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiff,

v.

OSCAR ORELLAN GUEVARA,
Defendant.

No. 1:21-CR-00051-NODJ-BAM

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiffs,

v.

MARTIN ALFREDO LEIVA-LEIVA, et al.,
Defendants.

No. 1:22-CR-00232-JLT-SKO
RELATED CASE ORDER

Examination of the above-captioned actions reveals that they are related within the meaning of the Local Rules. “[B]oth actions involve similar questions of fact and the same question of law and their assignment to the same Judge or Magistrate Judge is likely to effect a substantial savings of judicial effort.” Local Rule 123(a)(3). The assignment of these matters to the same judge is likely to effect a substantial savings of judicial effort and is likely to be convenient for the parties.

1 The parties should be aware that relating cases under Rule 123 causes the actions to be
2 assigned to the same judge—it does not consolidate the actions. Under Rule 123, related cases
3 are generally assigned to the judge and magistrate judge to whom the first filed action was
4 assigned.

5 As a result, it is hereby ORDERED that Case No. 1:22-CR-00232-JLT-SKO is reassigned
6 from District Judge Jennifer L. Thurston to NODJ and from Magistrate Judge Sheila K. Oberto to
7 Magistrate Judge Barbara A. McAuliffe. The caption on documents filed in the reassigned case
8 shall show Case No. 1:22-CR-00232-NODJ-BAM.

9 It is further ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court make appropriate adjustment in the
10 assignment of criminal cases to compensate for this reassignment.

11 IT IS SO ORDERED.

12 DATED: August 23, 2024.

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14 CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE